UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Farm Service Agency Washington, DC 20250 **Notice PF-148**

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For: State and County Offices

FY 2001 PFC Payment Rates

Approved by: Deputy Administrator, Farm Programs

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1 Overview	
A Background	The payment rates have been announced for 2001 PFC payments.
B Purpose	This notice provides PFC payment rates and explains changes to the Production Flexibility Program Crop Table Report.
2 Action	
A KC-ITSDO Action	On or about September 29, 2000, KC-ITSDO will transmit, by telecommunications, the payment rates for FY 2001 PFC payments.
	SCOAP Information Bulletin No. 1958 was sent to State Offices with T.MA.CFM file transmission information.
B County Releases	County Offices shall ensure that County Release No. 443 is installed on October 2, 2000.
C Crop Data Table	County Offices shall ensure that the crop data table:
	 has been received according to Information Bulletin No. 1958 data has been verified.

Disposal Date	Distribution
January 1, 2001	State Offices; State Offices relay to County Offices

2 Action (Continued)

D Issuing FY 2001 PFC Payments

County Offices shall make every attempt to issue PFC payments in the month requested by the producer after all of the following have occurred:

- producer specifies the month the FY 2001 PFC payment should be issued
- producer specifies the percentage, either 50 or 100 percent, of the FY 2001 PFC payment requested
- all program provisions have been met according to 1-PF and COC has approved CCC-478.

Reminder: PFC payments can be processed:

- by farm
- by producer
- for a range of farms
- randomly, by selected farms
- for all farms.

E PFC Software Release Schedule

The FY 2001 PFC software will be released in phases. This table includes the release schedule for each process.

Note: The release dates included in this table are projected and may vary because of resource availability.

Process	Scheduled County Release No.	Projected Arrival Date
CCC-478 Worksheet and Status Report	443	September 29, 2000
Producer Payment Selection Option and Reports		
PFC Regular Payment Process		
PFC Payment Cancellation Process		
Producer Payment History Print Process		
PFC Overpayment Process		To be scheduled
Succession-in-Interest Process		

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A Printing Report MAA232-R001

Follow the steps in this table to print Report MAA232-R001.

Step	Menu or Screen	Action	
1	FAX250	ENTER "3" or "4", "Application Processing", and PRESS "Enter".	
2	FAX09002	Enter the appropriate county, if applicable, and PRESS "Enter".	
3	FAX07001	ENTER "9", "Common Provisions", and PRESS "Enter".	
4	MA0000	ENTER "1", "County Office Table Files Maintenance", and PRESS "Enter".	
5	MA000	ENTER "7", "Print Crop Table for Program Crops", and PRESS "Enter".	
6	MA00	ENTER "2", "Production Flexibility Program Crop Table", and PRESS "Enter".	
7	MADPRT01	Enter Printer ID, and PRESS "Enter".	
8	MAA23301	Do either of the following:	
		enter a specific crop yearENTER "ALL".	

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B Example of Report MAA232-R001

Following is an example of Report MAA232-R001. The data on this report was either downloaded or entered by the County Office.

VIRGINIA	USDA-FSA		10-09-2000	
PRINCE EDWARD P Report ID: MAA232-R001	roduction Flex	ibility Program Crop Table 2001	Page:	01
Report ID IMMEDI ROOT		2001	1430	01
WHEAT		0011		
SL PFC PAYMENT RATE	0.47400000	MLA Payment Rate	0.0000000	
Beginning PFC Payment Date		Beginning MLA Payment Date	00/00/0000	
Ending PFC Payment Date	09/30/2001	Ending MLA Payment Date	00/00/0000	
CORN		0041		
SL PFC PAYMENT RATE	0.26900000	MLA Payment Rate	0.00000000	
Beginning PFC Payment Date Ending PFC Payment Date	10/01/2000 09/30/2001	Beginning MLA Payment Date Ending MLA Payment Date	00/00/0000 00/00/0000	
Ending PFC Payment Date	09/30/2001	Ending MLA Payment Date	00/00/0000	
GRAIN SORGHUM		0051		
SL PFC PAYMENT RATE	0.32400000	MLA Payment Rate	0.00000000	
Beginning PFC Payment Date		Beginning MLA Payment Date	00/00/0000	
Ending PFC Payment Date	09/30/2001	Ending MLA Payment Date	00/00/0000	
OATS		0016		
SL PFC PAYMENT RATE	0.02200000	MLA Payment Rate	0.00000000	
Beginning PFC Payment Date		Beginning MLA Payment Date	00/00/0000	
Ending PFC Payment Date	09/30/2001	Ending MLA Payment Date	00/00/0000	
BARLEY		0091		
SL PFC PAYMENT RATE	0.20600000	MLA Payment Rate	0.00000000	
Beginning PFC Payment Date		Beginning MLA Payment Date	00/00/0000	
Ending PFC Payment Date	09/30/2001	Ending MLA Payment Date	00/00/0000	
RICE		0018		
SL PFC PAYMENT RATE	0.02100000	MLA Payment Rate	0.00000000	
Beginning PFC Payment Date		Beginning MLA Payment Date	00/00/0000	
Ending PFC Payment Date	09/30/2001	Ending MLA Payment Date	00/00/0000	
UPLAND COTTON		0021		
SL PFC PAYMENT RATE	0.05990000	MLA Payment Rate	0.00000000	
Beginning PFC Payment Date		Beginning MLA Payment Date	00/00/0000	
Ending PFC Payment Date	09/30/2001	Ending MLA Payment Date	00/00/0000	
		Reviewers		
		Date		

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Data on Report MAA232-R001 The following table describes the data on Report MAA232-R001.

Field	Description
SL PFC Payment Rate	Rate used to calculate the SL annual contract payments.
Beginning PFC Payment Date	Earliest date PFC payments can be issued through regular payment processing for FY 2001.
Ending PFC Payment Date	Last date PFC payments can be issued through regular payment processing for FY 2001.

Payment Rates for 2001 PFC Payments

\$40,000 (SL Amount)			
Commodity	100 Percent Annual SL Payment Rate	50 Percent Annual SL Payment Rate	
Barley	\$0.20600000	\$0.10300000	
Corn	\$0.26900000	\$0.13450000	
Grain Sorghum	\$0.32400000	\$0.16200000	
Oats	\$0.02200000	\$0.01100000	
Rice	\$0.02100000	\$0.01050000	
Upland Cotton	\$0.05990000	\$0.02995000	
Wheat	\$0.47400000	\$0.23700000	